

**A REGULAR MEETING  
OF  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

1. A Regular Meeting was called to order by Acting Chair Conaway in the Hearing Room, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware, on Thursday, September 26, 2013, at 1:00 p.m. with the following Commissioners in attendance: Jeffrey Clark and Jaymes Lester.

The following Staff members were in attendance: Alisa Bentley, Julie Donoghue, Deputy Attorney General, Janis Dillard, Robert Howatt, Kathleen Makowski, Deputy Attorney General and Octavia Woodard.

2. Commissioner Clark motioned to adopt meeting minutes from August 13, 2013; Commissioner Lester seconded the motion; the motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Clark motioned to adopt meeting minutes from August 21, 2013; Commissioner Lester seconded the motion; the motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Clark motioned to adopt meeting minutes from September 3, 2013; Commissioner Lester seconded the motion; the motion carried unanimously.

3. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

Commissioner Clark moved to adopt the following Consent Agenda items.

- a. IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ARTESIAN WATER COMPANY, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WATER SERVICES PURSUANT TO 26 DEL. C §203C ("AWC 051613-1") (FILED JULY 22, 2013 AND AMENDED AUGUST 2, 2013) – 13-CPCN-07

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Commission to consider Application, Staff Memorandum, and proposed Order No. 8461.

- b. COMPLIANCE FILING IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF QUALIFIED FUEL CELL PROVIDER PROJECT TARIFF (FILED AUGUST 27, 2013) – PSC DOCKET NO. 13-76-08

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Commission to consider Staff Memorandum and proposed Order No. 8459.

- c. IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT APPLICATION OF PRIMUS TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND PTUS, INC. FOR A TRANSFER OF CONTROL (FILED AUGUST 28, 2013) – PSC DOCKET NO. 13-347

Commission to consider the Application and Staff Memorandum.

Commissioner Lester seconded the motion; the motion carried unanimously.

4. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS:

- a. IN THE MATTER OF THE PROVISION OF STANDARD OFFER SUPPLY TO RETAIL CONSUMERS IN THE SERVICE TERRITORY OF DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY AFTER MAY 1, 2006 (OPENED OCTOBER 19, 2004) – PSC DOCKET NO. 04-391

Julie Donoghue, Deputy Attorney General, appeared on behalf of Staff.

Ruth Ann Price appeared on behalf of the Division of the Public Advocate.

Pamela Scott, Esquire and Compton Ferrier appeared on behalf of Delmarva Power & Light Company.

A motion was made by Commissioner Lester and seconded by Commissioner Clark to adopt Order No. 8460; the motion carried unanimously.

A verbatim transcript was made of the proceeding.

- b. IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR AN ANNUAL UPDATE IN THE GAS ENVIRONMENTAL SURCHARGE RIDER RATE (“ESR”) (FILED AUGUST 28, 2013) – PSC DOCKET NO. 13-348

Julie Donoghue, Deputy Attorney General appeared on behalf of Staff.

Ruth Ann Price appeared on behalf of the Division of the Public Advocate.

Pamela Scott, Esquire appeared on behalf of Delmarva Power & Light Company.

A motion was made by Commissioner Clark and seconded by Commissioner Lester to adopt Order No. 8464; the motion carried unanimously.

A verbatim transcript was made of the proceeding.

- c. IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF MODIFICATIONS TO ITS GAS

COST RATES ("GCR") (FILED AUGUST 28, 2013) – PSC DOCKET NO. 13-349F

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Julie Donoghue, Deputy Attorney General appeared on behalf of Staff.

Ruth Ann Price appeared on behalf of the Division of the Public Advocate.

Pamela Scott, Esquire appeared on behalf of Delmarva Power & Light Company.

A motion was made by Commissioner Lester and seconded by Commissioner Clark to adopt Order No. 8457; the motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Commissioner Clark to approve the hiring of Exeter Associates, Inc. as a consultant and seconded by Commissioner Lester; the motion carried unanimously.

A verbatim transcript was made of the proceeding.

d. IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL OF A CHANGE IN ITS GAS SALES SERVICE RATES ("GSR") TO BE EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 1, 2013 (FILED SEPTEMBER 3, 2013) – PSC DOCKET NO. 13-351F

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Julie Donoghue, Deputy Attorney General appeared on behalf of Staff.

Ruth Ann Price appeared on behalf of the Division of the Public Advocate.

William Denman, Esquire appeared on behalf of Chesapeake Utilities Corporation.

A motion was made by Commissioner Clark and seconded by Commissioner Lester to adopt Order No. 8458; the motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Commissioner Clark to approve the hiring of Exeter Associates, Inc. as a consultant and seconded by Commissioner Lester; the motion carried unanimously.

A verbatim transcript was made of the proceeding.

5. DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS:

Robert Howatt announced there would be a public comment session today September 26, 2013 at 4:00 p.m. in the Hearing Room for Delmarva Power & Light Company. There will also be public comment sessions on October 3, 2013 at Delaware Technical & Community College, Georgetown and on

October 16, 2013 at the University of Delaware, Arsht Hall, Newark. Mr. Howatt thanked Ruth Price for moderating the comment sessions.

He, also, announced that on Monday September 30, 2013 Delmarva Power & Light Company will be having their quarterly AMI meeting at its conference center.

Lastly, he mentioned the Apple Scrapple festival in Bridgeville on October 12, 2013.

There was no further business and the meeting adjourned at approximately 1:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Alisa Carrow Bentley  
Secretary